FLOYD COUNTY COUNCIL MINUTES

October 13, 2020 5:00 P.M.

PINEVIEW GOVERNMENT CENTER COMMISSIONERS MEETING ROOM #104

2021 BUDGET ADOPTION

Brad Striegel called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call - Full Quorum

Also present - Attorney Steve Langdon, Auditor Jacqueline Wenning and Sheriff Frank Loop

Dale Bagshaw led the invocation.

1. BINDING UNITS

a. Solid Waste

Name	Adopted Budget
Solid Waste	\$ 377,254.00

Motion to adopt Solid Waste Budget of \$377,254.00. Moved by Denise Konkle. Seconded by Tom Pickett. Motion passed unanimously.

b. Georgetown Township Fire District

Name	Adopted Budget	Adopted Tux Levy	Adopted Tax Rate
Georgetown Township Fire District	\$ 1,641,013.00	\$ 1,459,000.00	03364

Denise Konkle stated that the tax rate seemed high and would like to investigate and speak with someone from Georgetown.

Motion to table the adoption of the Georgetown Fire District 2021 Budget. Moved by Denise Konkle. Seconded by Tom Pickett. Motion passed unanimously.

c. Lafayette Township Fire District

Name	Adopted Budget	Adopted Tax Levy	Adopted Tax Rate
Lafayette Township Fire District	\$ 2,364,112.00	\$ 1,181,021.00	0.2305

Jeremy Klein of Lafayette Township Fire District stated the tax rate last year was .2273. Motion to adopt Lafayette Township Fire District 2021 Budget as advertised. Moved by Denise Konkle. Seconded by Dale Bagshaw. Motion passed unanimously.

d. New Albany Township Fire District

Name	Adopted Budget	Adopted Tax Levy	Adopted Tax Rate
New Albany Township Fire District	\$ 1,884,838.00	\$ 1,316,664.00	0.1975

Motion to adopt New Albany Township Fire District 2021 Budget based on the rate. Moved by Denise Konkle. Seconded by Tom Pickett. Motion passed unanimously.

e. Greenville Township Fire District

Name	Adı	opted Budget	Adı Lev		Adopted Tax Rate
Greenville Township Fire District	\$	879,221.00	\$	824,471.00	0,2451

Heather Peters stated this a newly formed fire district. The levy has not been set so the .2451 could be lowered if the assessed value is higher.

Motion to adopt Greenville Township Fire District 2021 Budget. Moved by Denise Konkle. Seconded by Dale Bagshaw. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion

Salary Ordinance - Adam Roberts stated that the Salary Ordinance needs to reflect what the employees are being paid. Jacqueline Wenning stated that the Prosecutor Office's salaries are higher on the 2020 Salary Ordinance than the amount they are getting paid.

Frank Loop stated that the salaries were approved last year.

Brad Striegel stated that the Salary Ordinance should reflect what employees are being paid. The budget should coincide with the Salary Ordinance. Mr. Striegel stated that we need to get the Salary Ordinance in line before approving budgets.

Leslie Knable asked if someone requests more in 2021 than they made in 2020 would they reflect that raise in the Ordinance. Denise Konkle stated they requested everyone not to include salary increases.

EDIT Fund - Denise Konkle stated she thought that the line item in the EDIT Fund for Reisz Building Security was reduced to \$50,000.00. She asked Jacqueline Wenning to look into that.

Don Lopp changed the Election line item to \$56,000.00 but \$200,000.00 is needed. Denise Konkle will email Clerk, Danita Burks, about the exact amount needed.

Animal Shelter - Adam Roberts and Danny Short met with New Albany City concerning the Animal Shelter. The City's attorney sent some information that was not very helpful.

Danny Short asked David Hall why the County's portion went up 30% in the last year. He stated it has not gone up but the County has not paid their total portion in the past year.

Adam Roberts asked to see all their revenues.

Danny Short stated the County is left in the dark and has asked the City for transparency.

Susan Rosenbarger stated all they have to go by is the Interlocal Agreement with the City which states that the County pays 51%.

Dale Bagshaw apologized that the Animal Shelter has been caught in the middle.

A Budget Workshop has been scheduled on October 22, 2020 at 1:00 PM

Motion to recess the Budget Adoption meeting and reconvene on October 27, 2020 at 4:30 PM. Moved by Danny Short. Seconded by Leslie Knable. Motion passed unanimously.

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ATTEST) Jacqueline Wenning, AUDITOR, FLOYD COUNTY